



Attorney Docket No.: SHEE 2 00060

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (LARGE ENTITY)

Ser. No.: 10/551,932	Filed: October 4, 2005	Examiner: Frank D. Lopez
Art Unit: 3745	Title: VALVE FOR HYDRAULIC PROPS OF SHIELD-TYPE SUPPORT FRAMES, AND SHIELD-TYPE SUPPORT FRAME	

To the Commissioner for Patents:


Transmitted herewith is a (an) Amendment in the above-identified application. The fee(s) has (have) been calculated as shown below.

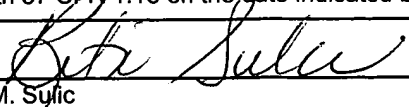
CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims remaining after amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For	No. of Extra Claims Present	Rate	Additional Rate
Total Claims	16	Minus	24	0	X \$50	\$0.00
Indep. Claims	3	Minus	3	0	X \$210	\$0.00
TOTAL					=	\$0.00
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Payment for the filing of this Amendment and/or any appropriate extension of time fee is/are authorized to be charged to a Credit Card. The appropriate PTO form 2038 is enclosed. If the Credit Card is unable to be charged, please charge any and all fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0308. If there are any additional fees required by this communication, please charge same to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.					
<input type="checkbox"/>	Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) and request a Not Applicable month extension of time to respond to the outstanding Office Action.					

Respectfully submitted,

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April 8, 2008
Date


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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



APPLICANT(S)

: Dettmers et al.

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AMENDMENT

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 8, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.